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TO : Chief, SR (Attn:)
FROM : Chief of Mission, Frankfurt

DATE: 2 Nov 53

SUBJECT: GENERAL— REDSOX/ABQUOR/Operational

SPECIFIC— CAMBISTA 2 Questions for CAMPOSANTO 6 and 9.

1. At a recent meeting during which current W/T messages to and from CAMPOSANTO 9 were discussed, CAMBISTA 2 was very agitated that we had not yet utilized any of his suggested questions. The undersigned explained that the questions which were being asked were part of an interrogative pattern to determine the controlled or uncontrolled status of the team. This answer did not completely satisfy CAMBISTA 2. CAMBISTA 2 said that certain of his questions had the same thing in mind since he would know by the answers whether they were given by CAMPOSANTO 6 or by a "controller". When asked if this meant that he and CAMPOSANTO 6 had a pre-arranged code, CAMBISTA 2 replied in the negative. He said that he simply knew CAMPOSANTO 6 better than anyone else and knows how he would react to certain questions. CAMBISTA 2 expressed doubt to CAMBISTA 2 that certain of his questions could give such a definitive answer but promised that his suggestions would be incorporated as soon as at all practicable.

2. In connection with the W/T messages CAMBISTA 2 expressed the desire to see them in their original Russian form. This was asked not so much because CAMBISTA 2 objected to seeing an English version but because he felt that he could help to determine the controlled or uncontrolled status of the operator by seeing how he used the Russian language. CAMBISTA 2 claims he knows pretty well what kind of Russian the team members used and that an indication of their status might show up in their use of lack of use of certain Russian words or terms.

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